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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Silke HINNAH et al.

Application No.: 10/539,628

Group Art Unit: 1637

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Examiner: CALAMITA, Heather

For: METHOD FOR DETECTING AN ANALYTE IN A SAMPLE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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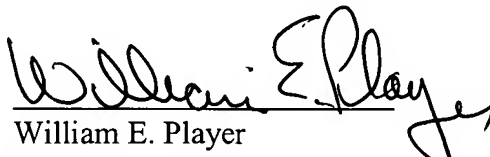
Sir:

Petition is made hereby for a three-month extension of time for response pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The \$1110.00 fee is attached. Please debit or credit any requisite fee adjustment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

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